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**Subject:** Atlantic Coast Pipeline permit delay

Dear Governor Cooper and members of your administration:

I am writing you in gratitude for your decision to delay the Atlantic Coast Pipeline permit in order to further study its potential damage to streams and wetlands and thus, to our state's water quality. This is a matter of importance to us all.

However, I would also like you to stop for a moment and consider the long-term damage to our environment from the use of fossil fuels. At some point, we must commit to alternative energy sources and spend our money - whether private or governmental - NOT on fossil fuel infrastructure, but on supporting wind and solar development. I think that point is now!

Again, thank you.

Yours truly,  
Patty F. Daniel (Bingham Township, Orange County)